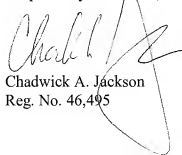


**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

In response to the Notice of Allowance issued on September 16, 2008, the Applicants have amended claims 1, 3, 4, 10, 11, 13, 14, 20, 21, 23, 24, and 30 to correct errors in the claims and more clearly recite what the Applicants regard as the invention. An Examiner's interview was conducted to discuss 35 U.S.C. § 101 issues with respect to claim 21 and authorize an Examiner's amendment to the specification to distinguish computer readable transmission mediums from computer readable storage mediums and claim 21 to recite the limitation "computer readable storage medium." No new matter has been added. Claims 1, 3-7, 10, 11, 13-17, 20, 21, 23-27 and 30 are now pending in this application.

Each of the claims now pending in this application is believed to be in condition for allowance. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration of this case and early issuance of the Notice of Allowance are respectfully requested. Applicants invite the Examiner to contact the undersigned attorney to discuss any remaining issues. Please charge any required fee to Hanify & King, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-4545, Order No. 5231-047-US01.

Respectfully Submitted,



Chadwick A. Jackson  
Reg. No. 46,495

Date: September 30, 2008

Hanify & King, Professional Corporation  
Intellectual Property Law Department  
1875 K St, N.W.  
Suite 707  
Washington, D.C. 20006  
Direct: (202) 403-2102  
Fax: (202) 429-4380